

FACSIMILE TRANSMITTAL LETTER**PAGE 1 OF 14**DATE: **April 26, 2005**TO: **Margaret Stevens**RE: **Applicant : Michael S. Colman****Serial No. 09/766,161****Filing Date: January 19, 2001****For: Improved Recovery of Linear Nucleic Acids By Salt Dilution and/or Reduced Pressure Prior to Continuous Pressure Differential Ultrafiltration****Our Ref: MCA-538**FAX NO: **(571) 273-0553**

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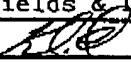
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